By the Lower House of Assembly 20th March 1732 Read the second Time and will pass.

U. H. J. Lib. No. 33 p. 254

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct. Lo. Ho.

Adjourned till to Morrow Morning Eight of the Clock.

Wednesday Morning 21st March 1732

March 21

This House met again according to Adjournment

Present as Yesterday with the Addition of Samuel Ogle Esq^r

Read the Petition of Several the Inhabitants of Cecil County praying that a Bill may be brought in to lay out Thirty Acres of Land for a Town on a Point called Penningtons Point upon Sassafras River in Cecil County; Referred to the Consideration of the Lower House, and sent by Michael Howard Esq^r

Read the first Time the Bill for Limitation of Officers Fees and Ordered to lye on the Table

A Message from the Lower House by M^{rs} Beale and Magruder with the Bill Entituled an Act to impower the Inhabitants of Ann Arundell and Prince Georges Counties to make the Main Branch of the River Patuxent Navigable &c

By the Lower House of Assembly March 21st 1732 May it please Your Honours

Black Book No. 3 Letter

This House agrees to the Amendments proposed by your Honours No. 111
Adding the following Provisoe to the Bill, Provided that if the Petitioners shall not begin to Clear the said River, or Cause the same to be begun within Six months from the End of this Session of Assembly That this Act shall cease Determine and become Null and Void and Provided that if the Clearing the said River shall be begun within Six Months after the End of this Session, and shall not be Compleated so as to Render the said River Navigable according Lib. No. 33 to the Intent of this Act within six Years after the End of the said P. 255
Six Months that then and in such Case this Act shall Cease determine and become null and Void Any thing therein Contained to the Contrary notwithstanding.

Signed p Order M Macnemara Ct. Lo. Ho.

Adjourned till two of the Clock in the Afternoon

Eodem Die post Meridiem This House met again According to Adjournment

Present as in the Morning Except Benjamin Tasker Esq^r Adjourned till to Morrow Morning Eight of the Clock.